

COUNTY PROFILE

# Chippewa Co.

Chippewa Co. is a part of Economic Development Region 6W, which is located in the Southwest Planning Region.



## POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS

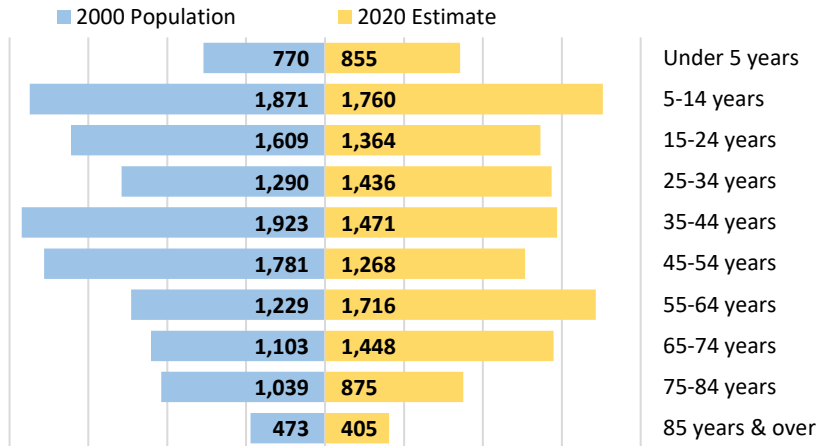
Chippewa Co.'s population increased this decade, ranking as the 41st fastest growing of the 87 counties in the state from 2010 to 2020. It is now the 61st largest in the state. Chippewa Co.'s population has an older median age than the state and a larger percentage of people aged 65 years and older. The population is aging, especially as the Baby Boom generation moves through the population pyramid (see Figure 1).

Current population:	<b>12,598 people</b>	Median Age:	<b>40.6 years</b>
Population change, 2010-2020	157 people 1.3% increase	state:	38.3 years

	Number	Percent
Under 5 years	855	6.8%
5-14 years	1,760	14.0%
15-24 years	1,364	10.8%
25-34 years	1,436	11.4%
35-44 years	1,471	11.7%
45-54 years	1,268	10.1%
55-64 years	1,716	13.6%
65-74 years	1,448	11.5%
75-84 years	875	6.9%
85 years & over	405	3.2%
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>12,598</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates

Figure 1. Population Pyramid, 2000-2020



Chippewa Co. enjoyed a natural increase - more births than deaths from 2010 to 2019, but also experienced net out-migration - meaning more people moved out than moved in. Despite suffering domestic out-migration, Chippewa Co. welcomed net international in-migration - gaining new Minnesotans from foreign countries (see Table 2).

	Total Population Change	April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2019					
		Natural Increase	Vital Events		Net Migration		
			Births	Deaths	Total	International	Domestic
Chippewa Co.	-643	102	1,500	1,398	-750	213	-963
State of Minnesota	335,705	250,488	637,356	386,868	88,161	114,414	-26,253

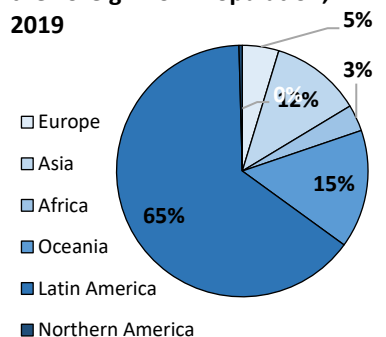
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates Program

Compared to the state, Chippewa Co. has a smaller percentage of foreign-born residents. From 2010 to 2019, Chippewa Co. saw an increase in the number of foreign-born residents, which was faster than the statewide increase.

	Chippewa Co.		Change 2010-2019		Minnesota	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Percent	Change
<b>Foreign-born Population</b>	<b>703</b>	<b>5.9%</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>89.5%</b>	<b>8.5%</b>	<b>28.9%</b>
Europe	33	4.7%	-28	-45.9%	9.9%	4.5%
Asia	82	11.7%	62	310.0%	37.5%	30.3%
Africa	24	3.4%	24	#DIV/0!	25.5%	72.0%
Oceania	107	15.2%	105	5250.0%	0.5%	37.2%
Americas:	457	65.0%	169	58.7%	26.6%	10.0%
Latin America	454	64.6%	184	68.1%	24.1%	12.2%
Northern America	3	0.4%	-15	-83.3%	2.5%	-7.7%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015-2019 American Community Survey

Figure 2. Place of Birth for the Foreign Born Population, 2019



## COUNTY PROFILE

## Chippewa Co.

Chippewa Co.'s population was becoming more racially diverse over time. Since 2000, the county's white population declined, but the number of people of other races increased (see Table 4).

**Figure 3. Population by Race, 2019**

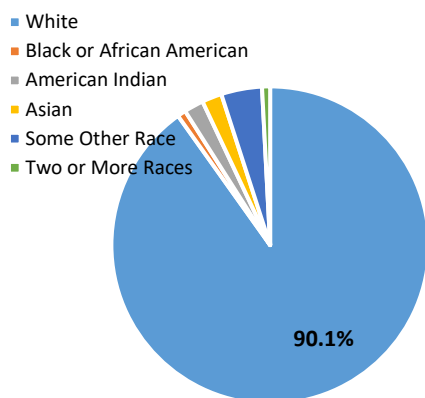


Table 4. Race and Hispanic Origin, 2019	Chippewa Co.			Minnesota	
	Number	Percent	Change from 2000-2019	Percent	Change from 2000-2019
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,953</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>-8.7%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>13.1%</b>
White	10,775	90.1%	-14.9%	82.8%	4.7%
Black or African American	103	0.9%	347.8%	6.4%	107.6%
American Indian or Alaska Native	238	2.0%	81.7%	1.0%	5.5%
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	242	2.0%	476.2%	4.9%	87.8%
Some Other Race	497	4.2%	304.1%	1.9%	58.1%
Two or More Races	98	0.8%	-4.9%	3.0%	99.9%
Hispanic or Latino origin	872	7.3%	247.4%	5.4%	108.9%

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015-2019 American Community Survey

## POPULATION PROJECTIONS

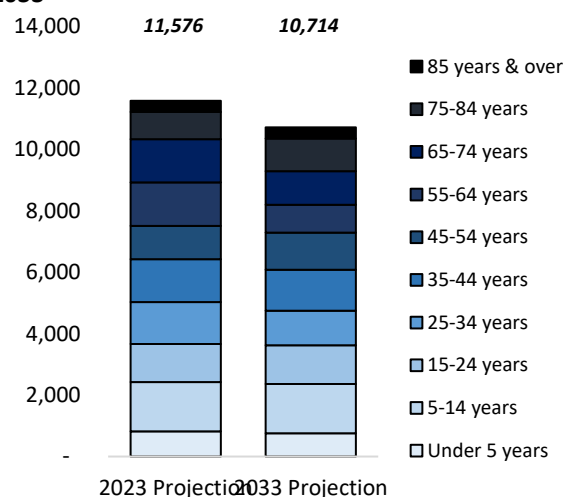
According to the Minnesota State Demographic Center, Chippewa Co.'s population is expected to decline from 2023 to 2033, with a rate of change that is slower than the projected statewide growth rate (5.6%). Despite the decline, the number of people aged 65 years and older is expected to decrease over the next decade (see Figure 4 and Table 5).

**Table 5. Population Projections by Age Group, 2023-2033**

Chippewa Co.	2023 Projection	2033 Projection	Numeric Change	Percent Change
Under 5 years	818	761	-57	-7.0%
5-14 years	1,602	1,599	-3	-0.2%
15-24 years	1,241	1,256	15	1.2%
25-34 years	1,369	1,133	-236	-17.2%
35-44 years	1,392	1,330	-62	-4.5%
45-54 years	1,078	1,210	132	12.2%
55-64 years	1,422	903	-519	-36.5%
65-74 years	1,410	1,094	-316	-22.4%
75-84 years	880	1,064	184	20.9%
85 years & over	364	364	0	0.0%
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>11,576</b>	<b>10,714</b>	<b>-862</b>	<b>-7.4%</b>

Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center

**Figure 4. Projections by Age Group, 2023-2033**



## EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

Chippewa Co. has a lower percentage of adults (18 years & over) with at least a high school diploma than the state (92.4%), and a lower percentage of people with at least some college experience. Chippewa Co. also has a higher percentage of people with an Associate's degree and a lower percentage of people with a Bachelor's degree or higher.

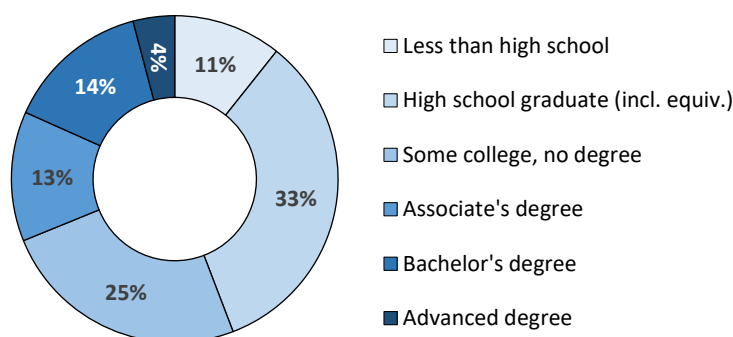
**Percentage of the adult population (18 years & over) with at least a high school diploma:**

**89.3%**

**College-educated:** 55.8%  
state: 67.1%

Associate's Degree: 12.8%  
Bachelor's Degree: 14.2%  
Advanced Degree: 4.1%

**Figure 5. Educational Attainment, 2019**



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015-2019 American Community Survey

## LABOR FORCE TRENDS

At 4.7%, Chippewa Co. had a lower unemployment rate than the state in 2020. Due to the pandemic recession Chippewa Co.'s unemployment rate increased compared to 4% in 2019, but was lower than the 7.3% rate posted in 2010. The number of unemployed workers actively seeking work in Chippewa Co. increased over the past year, and is down compared to 2010.

**6,883** available workers

Labor Force change,  
2005-2020

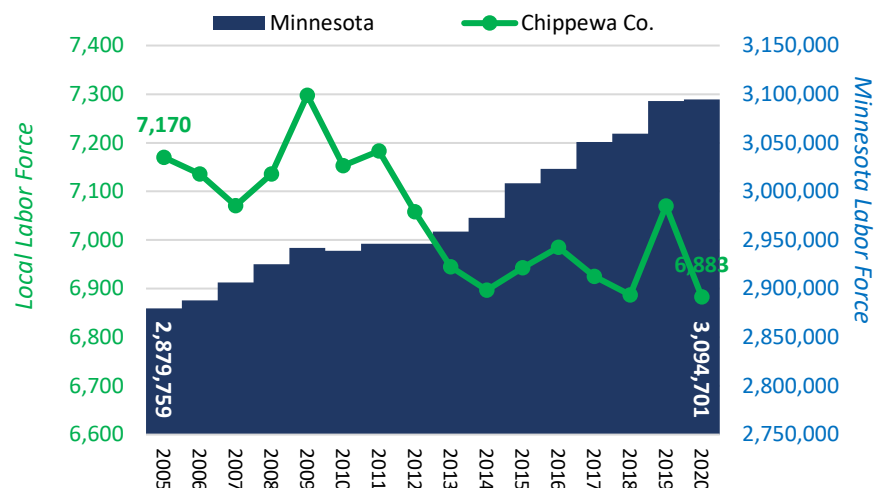
-287 workers  
-4.0% decline

**4.7%** unemployment rate

6.2% state

**324** unemployed workers

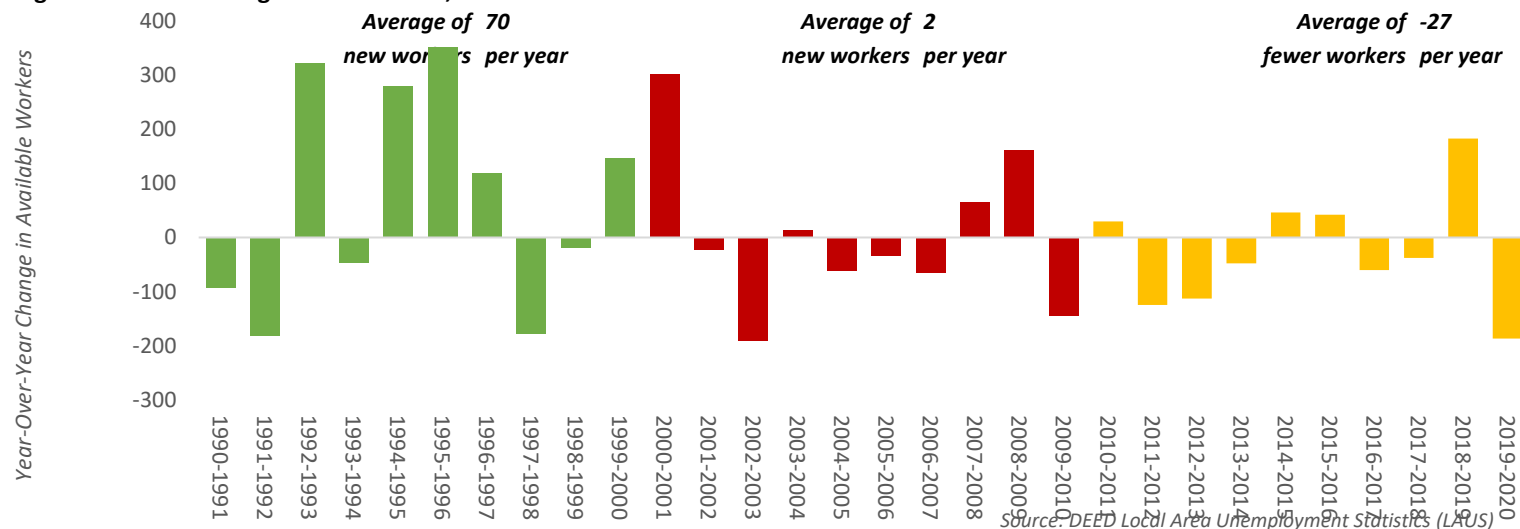
Figure 6. Annual Labor Force Estimates



Source: DEED Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Labor force growth has slowed in recent years. After experiencing a net gain of 70.2 workers each year from 1990 to 2000, Chippewa Co. averaged an annual gain of 2.2 new workers from 2000 to 2010, and most recently a loss of -27 fewer workers since 2010 (see Figure 7). Moving forward, Chippewa Co. is expected to see a labor force decline from 2023 to 2033 (see Table 6).

Figure 7. Annual Change in Labor Force, 1990-2020



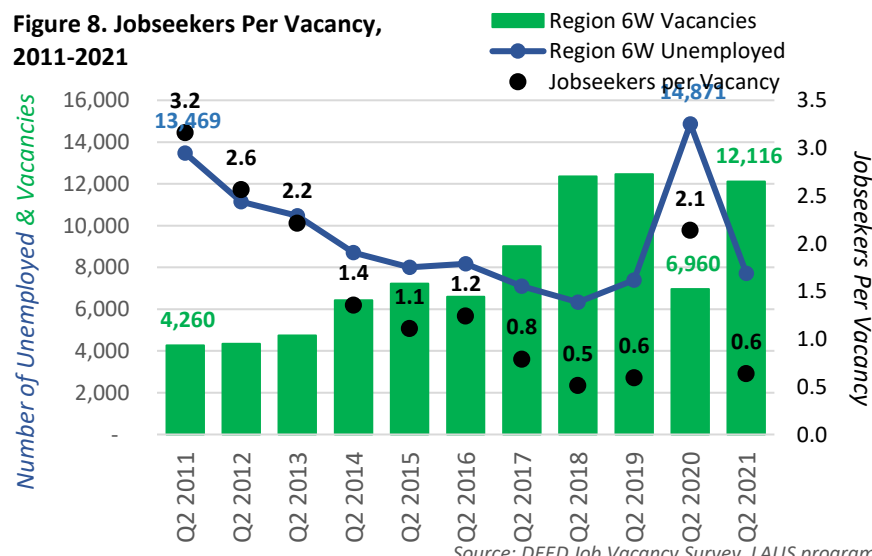
Source: DEED Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS)

Table 6. Labor Force Projections, 2023-2033	Labor Force Projection	
	2023	2033
16 to 24 years	780	789
25 to 54 years	3,262	3,115
55 to 64 years	1,137	722
65 years & over	559	487
<b>Total Labor Force</b>	<b>5,738</b>	<b>5,113</b>

Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center

The labor market had grown extremely tight in recent years, with less than 1 jobseeker per vacancy until the pandemic recession intervened in early 2020 and the number of unemployed workers spiked. However, by the second quarter of 2021, job vacancies in Southwest reached new highs, quickly bringing back challenges in finding new workers (see Figure 8).

Figure 8. Jobseekers Per Vacancy, 2011-2021



Source: DEED Job Vacancy Survey, LAUS program

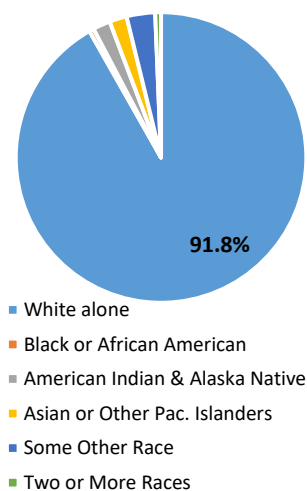
## LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS

Chippewa Co. had a lower labor force participation rate than the state. The labor force in Chippewa Co. is less racially diverse than the state (where 84.8% of workers are white alone), but is becoming more diverse over time.

Table 7. Employment Characteristics, 2019

	Chippewa Co.			Minnesota		Chippewa Co.	
	In Labor Force (available workers)	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Male	Female
<b>Total Labor Force</b>	<b>6,232</b>	<b>65.6%</b>	<b>3.5%</b>	<b>69.7%</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	<b>3,319</b>	<b>2,913</b>
16 to 19 years	264	48.7%	1.1%	53.2%	11.0%	137	127
20 to 24 years	656	92.0%	6.3%	84.6%	6.0%	366	290
25 to 44 years	2,290	85.8%	3.8%	88.8%	3.2%	1,272	1,018
45 to 54 years	1,134	82.9%	3.2%	87.6%	2.7%	592	542
55 to 64 years	1,368	79.9%	3.4%	73.0%	2.8%	663	705
65 to 74 years	385	29.6%	1.6%	27.9%	2.2%	233	151
75 years & over	136	11.4%	0.0%	6.6%	2.4%	56	80
<b>Employment Characteristics by Race &amp; Hispanic Origin</b>							
White alone	5,718	65.3%	3.5%	69.3%	3.0%		
Black or African American	32	56.1%	0.0%	71.3%	8.8%		
American Indian & Alaska Native	121	59.6%	0.0%	58.9%	12.6%		
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	120	67.0%	3.3%	71.2%	4.3%		
Some Other Race	198	76.7%	8.6%	77.7%	6.1%		
Two or More Races	40	87.0%	0.0%	73.6%	7.4%		
Hispanic or Latino	384	76.8%	7.6%	76.5%	6.1%		
<b>Employment Characteristics by Disability</b>							
With Any Disability	260	50.8%	2.3%	53.0%	8.6%		
<b>Employment Characteristics by Educational Attainment</b>							
Population, 25 to 64 years	4,795	83.4%	3.5%	84.5%	3.0%		
Less than H.S. Diploma	296	72.4%	4.1%	66.3%	4.2%		
H.S. Diploma or Equivalent	1,300	78.6%	3.2%	78.5%	2.6%		
Some College or Assoc. Degree	2,136	86.2%	2.8%	85.3%	3.0%		
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	1,059	87.7%	1.8%	90.0%	1.7%		

Figure 9. Labor Force by Race, 2019

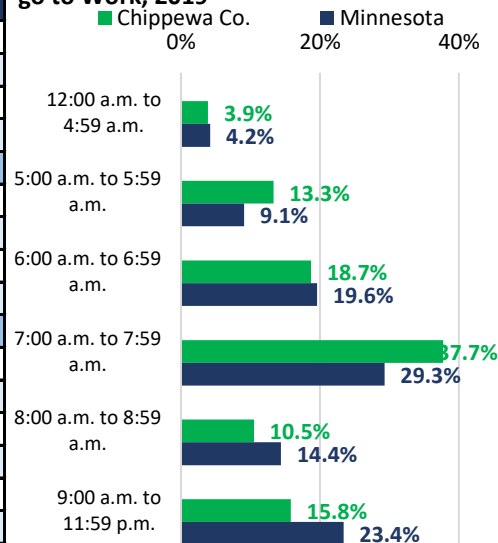


Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

A larger percentage of workers in Chippewa Co. worked in the same county in which they live compared to the state. Chippewa Co. also had a shorter average commute time than the state.

Table 8. Commuting Characteristics, 2019	Chippewa Co.		Minnesota	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Worked in state of residence	5,917	99.8%	2,837,697	97.6%
Worked in county of residence	4,192	70.7%	1,846,247	63.5%
Worked out of county of residence	1,725	29.1%	991,449	34.1%
Worked outside state of residence	12	0.2%	69,779	2.4%
<b>MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK</b>				
Car, truck, or van	5,158	87.0%	2,506,244	86.2%
Public transportation (excl. taxicab)	47	0.8%	101,762	3.5%
Other method (walk, bike, taxi, etc.)	296	5.0%	125,021	4.3%
Worked at home	427	7.2%	171,541	5.9%
<b>TRAVEL TIME TO WORK</b>				
Less than 10 minutes	2,372	40.0%	456,474	15.7%
10 to 19 minutes	1,435	24.2%	872,243	30.0%
20 to 29 minutes	919	15.5%	645,460	22.2%
30 to 44 minutes	777	13.1%	575,680	19.8%
45 to 59 minutes	237	4.0%	194,801	6.7%
60 or more minutes	190	3.2%	162,819	5.6%
<b>Mean travel time to work (minutes)</b>	<b>18.2 minutes</b>		<b>23.7 minutes</b>	

Figure 10. Time Leaving Home to go to Work, 2019



Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

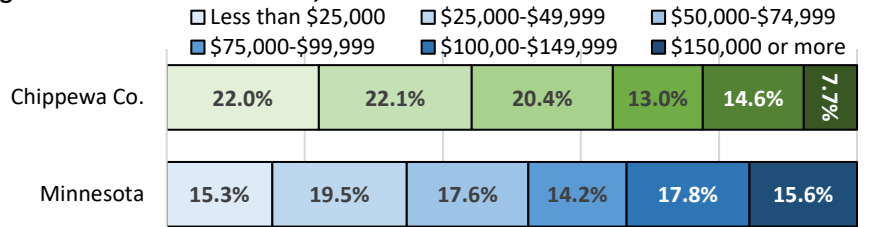
INCOMES, COST OF LIVING, & HOUSING

Chippewa Co. had a lower median household income than the state, and a higher percentage of households with incomes below \$50,000. Overall, Chippewa Co. had the 57th highest median household income of the 87 counties in the state.

Median Household Income	<b>\$55,269</b>
state	\$71,306
Median Family Income	<b>\$71,971</b>
state	\$89,842
Per Capita Income	<b>\$30,772</b>
state	\$37,625

Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey

Figure 11. Household Incomes, 2019



Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Chippewa Co. also had a lower cost of living than the state, with a required hourly wage of \$13.42 for a single person living alone to meet a basic needs cost of living, and an hourly wage requirement of \$14.54 for a typical family with 2 adults and 1 child (see Table 9).

Table 9. Basic Needs Cost of Living Estimates, 2020									
Single Adult, 0 children	Single Yearly Cost of Living	Hourly Wage Required	Monthly Costs						
			Child Care	Food	Health Care	Housing	Transportation	Other	Taxes
Chippewa Co.	\$27,909	\$13.42	\$0	\$353	\$163	\$570	\$680	\$253	\$307
State of Minnesota	\$32,964	\$15.85	\$0	\$355	\$153	\$832	\$704	\$325	\$378
Typical Family: 2 Adults (1 working full-time, 1 part-time), 1 child	Family Yearly Cost of Living	Hourly Wage Required	Monthly Costs						
			Child Care	Food	Health Care	Housing	Transportation	Other	Taxes
Chippewa Co.	\$45,378	\$14.54	\$226	\$806	\$519	\$723	\$789	\$419	\$300
State of Minnesota	\$58,800	\$18.85	\$546	\$810	\$549	\$1,069	\$819	\$515	\$592

Source: DEED Cost of Living tool

Chippewa Co. had a lower median house value than the state, having the 66th highest value of the 87 counties in 2019. Chippewa Co.'s housing stock was older than the state's, with a lower percentage of units built since 2000 (see Figure 12).

Table 10. Estimated Value of Owner-occupied Housing Units, 2019	Chippewa Co.		Minnesota
	Total	Percent	Percent
Total	3,475	100.0%	100.0%
Less than \$50,000	367	10.6%	4.6%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1,100	31.7%	7.8%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	681	19.6%	12.3%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	509	14.6%	17.9%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	552	15.9%	28.1%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	193	5.6%	21.5%
\$500,000 or more	73	2.1%	7.9%
Median (dollars)	\$119,700		\$223,900

Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Median monthly owner costs, owner-occupied units with a mortgage	<b>\$1,100</b>
state	\$1,580
Percentage of households with a mortgage spending 30% or more of their income on housing costs	<b>21.5%</b>
state	21.8%
Median monthly rent costs	<b>\$613</b>
state	\$977
Percentage of renters spending 30% or more of their household income on rent	<b>35.5%</b>
state	45.1%

Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Figure 12. Year Structure Built, 2019

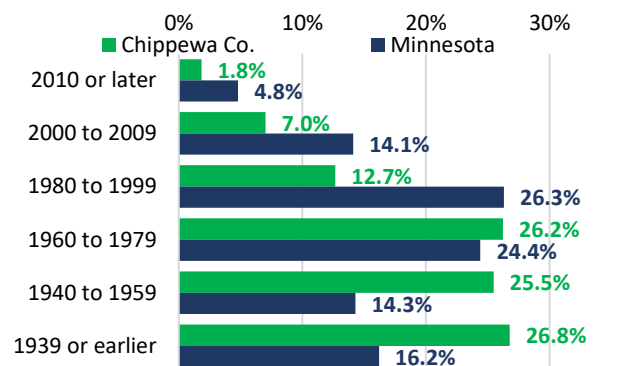
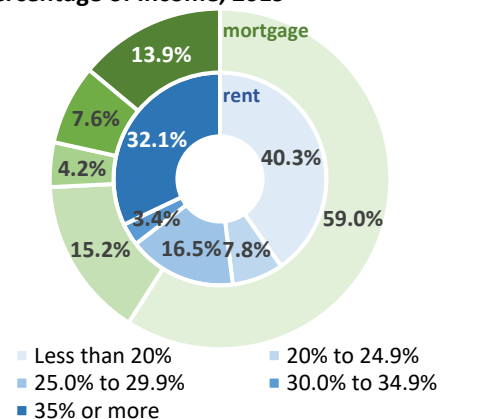


Figure 13. Housing Costs as a Percentage of Income, 2019





## OCCUPATIONS

At \$19.11 in 2021, wages were lower in Region 6W than the state. Overall, Region 6W had the 10th highest median hourly wage level of the 13 economic development regions in the state. Wages were highest for management occupations (\$35.96) and lowest for food preparation and serving related jobs (\$12.57) (see Table 11).

Table 11. Occupational Employment &amp; Wage Statistics, 2021

Occupational Group	Region 6W				State of Minnesota		
	Median Hourly Wage	Estimated Regional Jobs	Share of Total Jobs	Regional Location Quotient	Median Hourly Wage	State-wide Jobs	Share of Total Jobs
<b>Total, All Occupations</b>	<b>\$19.11</b>	<b>15,520</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>\$23.00</b>	<b>2,708,760</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
Management	\$35.96	830	5.3%	0.9	\$54.22	164,530	6.1%
Business & Financial Operations	\$26.88	460	3.0%	0.4	\$35.24	179,670	6.6%
Computer & Mathematical	\$28.28	50	0.3%	0.1	\$44.89	98,240	3.6%
Architecture & Engineering	\$33.59	130	0.8%	0.4	\$38.90	54,880	2.0%
Life, Physical & Social Science	\$23.15	110	0.7%	0.7	\$35.48	26,120	1.0%
Community & Social Service	\$23.91	240	1.5%	0.8	\$24.21	55,630	2.1%
Legal	\$29.41	30	0.2%	0.3	\$41.02	19,760	0.7%
Education, Training & Library	\$19.24	1,280	8.2%	1.4	\$24.64	159,060	5.9%
Arts, Design, Entertainment & Media	\$20.13	70	0.5%	0.3	\$25.72	36,260	1.3%
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	\$32.63	880	5.7%	0.8	\$36.90	188,210	6.9%
Healthcare Support	\$15.83	850	5.5%	0.9	\$15.52	157,140	5.8%
Protective Service	\$23.18	240	1.5%	1.0	\$24.18	42,520	1.6%
Food Preparation & Serving Related	\$12.57	1,500	9.7%	1.3	\$13.34	195,120	7.2%
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	\$16.54	620	4.0%	1.5	\$16.14	74,550	2.8%
Personal Care & Service	\$12.96	300	1.9%	1.0	\$14.57	51,660	1.9%
Sales & Related	\$17.33	830	5.3%	0.6	\$16.83	250,430	9.2%
Office & Administrative Support	\$18.74	2,080	13.4%	1.1	\$20.93	338,050	12.5%
Farming, Fishing & Forestry	\$18.74	90	0.6%	3.7	\$18.14	4,230	0.2%
Construction & Extraction	\$21.80	910	5.9%	1.6	\$29.84	102,390	3.8%
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	\$22.03	660	4.3%	1.2	\$25.45	98,840	3.6%
Production	\$19.44	2,100	13.5%	1.8	\$19.82	202,240	7.5%
Transportation & Material Moving	\$17.35	1,240	8.0%	1.0	\$18.83	209,210	7.7%

Source: DEED Occupational Employment & Wage Statistics, Qtr. 1 2021

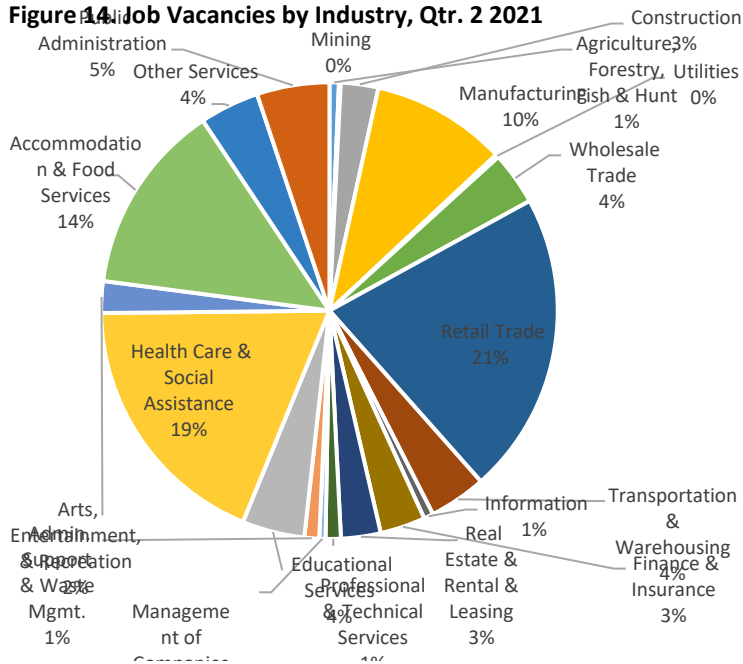
## JOB VACANCY SURVEY

Chippewa Co. is a part of the Southwest planning region. There were 12116 job vacancies posted by employers in the 2nd Quarter of 2021, indicating extensive opportunity in the region, with openings across several occupations and industries (see Figure 14).

Table 12. Southwest Job Vacancy Survey Results, Qtr. 2 2021

Occupational Group	Number of Vacancies	Wage Offer
<b>Total, All Occupations</b>	<b>12,116</b>	<b>\$15.03</b>
Management	238	\$32.97
Business & Financial Operations	406	\$33.55
Computer & Mathematical	48	\$25.16
Architecture & Engineering	86	\$24.09
Life, Physical & Social Sciences	14	\$21.00
Community & Social Service	111	\$21.79
Education, Training & Library	257	\$23.51
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	1,050	\$24.77
Healthcare Support	1,618	\$13.52
Protective Service	141	\$13.79
Food Preparation & Serving Related	2,080	\$11.90
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	328	\$14.86
Personal Care & Service	246	\$19.15
Sales & Related	1,549	\$13.27
Office & Administrative Support	637	\$13.43
Construction & Extraction	142	\$21.47
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	531	\$18.92
Production	843	\$15.59
Transportation & Material Moving	1,316	\$17.09

Figure 14. Job Vacancies by Industry, Qtr. 2 2021



Source: DEED Job Vacancy Survey, Qtr. 2 2021

## OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND

Table 13. Southwest Occupations in Demand, 2020

Less than High School	High School or Equivalent	Some College or Assoc. Deg.	Bachelor's Degree or Higher
Home Health and Personal Care Aides \$28,035	Nursing Assistants \$30,933	Registered Nurses \$68,952	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education \$52,103
Retail Salespersons \$27,105	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses \$46,278	Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers \$58,679	Physicians, All Other; and Ophthalmologists, Except Pediatric NA
First-Line Supervisors of Retail Sales Workers \$41,484	Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics \$35,447	Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technologists and Technicians \$60,317	Financial Managers \$99,935
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers \$45,441	Medical Dosimetrists, Medical Records Specialists, and Health Technologists and Technicians \$41,022	Civil Engineering Technologists and Technicians \$62,577	Civil Engineers \$86,311
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping \$28,667	Heating, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration Mechanics and Installers \$47,376	Diagnostic Medical Sonographers \$78,847	General and Operations Managers \$74,397
Teaching Assistants, Except Postsecondary \$28,887	Medical Assistants \$39,512	Clinical Laboratory Technologists and Technicians \$56,251	Physician Assistants \$117,551
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand \$33,694	Industrial Machinery Mechanics \$49,897	Radiologic Technologists and Technicians \$62,640	Secondary School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical \$55,202
Secretaries and Administrative Assistants, Except \$39,529	Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics \$34,822	Industrial Engineering Technologists and Technicians \$50,238	Middle School Teachers, Except Special and Career/Technical \$54,152
Stockers and Order Fillers \$28,316	Electricians \$58,008	Mechanical Engineering Technologists and Technicians \$45,140	Electrical Engineers \$87,297
Office Clerks, General \$35,222	Computer Numerically Controlled Tool Programmers \$62,213	Physical Therapist Assistants \$51,326	Construction Managers \$87,171

Source: DEED Occupations in Demand

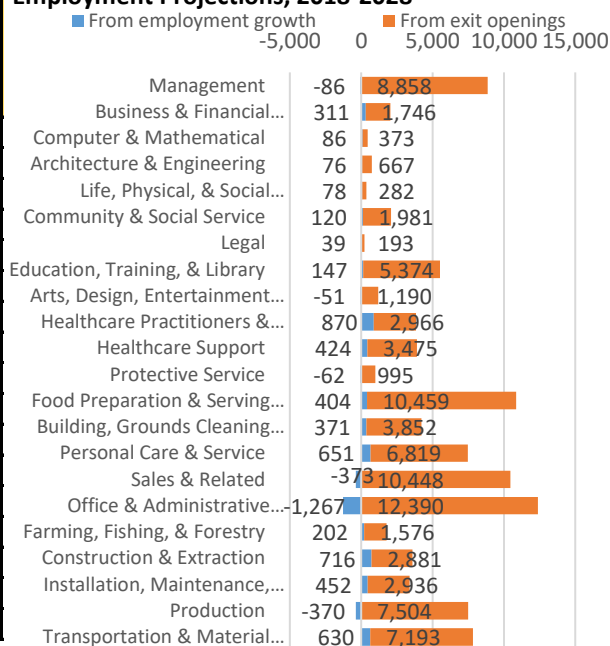
Chippewa Co. is a part of the Southwest planning region, which is projected to see a 0.9% increase in employment levels over the next decade. In addition to new jobs created, there will be a much larger number of exit openings (see Figure 15).

Table 14. Regional Industry Employment Projections, 2018-2028

Southwest Planning Region	Estimated Employment 2018	Projected Employment 2028	Percent Change 2018-2028
<b>Total, All Industries</b>	<b>206,422</b>	<b>209,790</b>	<b>1.6%</b>
Natural Resources & Mining	5,776	6,171	6.8%
Utilities	744	697	-6.3%
Construction	7,858	8,687	10.5%
Manufacturing	31,188	31,071	-0.4%
Wholesale Trade	8,530	7,993	-6.3%
Retail Trade	19,926	19,533	-2.0%
Transportation & Warehousing	7,465	7,898	5.8%
Information	2,549	2,364	-7.3%
Finance & Insurance, Real Estate	7,693	7,584	-1.4%
Professional Services & Mgmt. of Companies	5,663	6,191	9.3%
Administrative & Waste Services	4,076	4,874	19.6%
Educational Services	17,510	17,483	-0.2%
Health Care & Social Assistance	30,568	32,922	7.7%
Leisure & Hospitality	14,593	14,825	1.6%
Other Services, Ex. Public Admin	7,423	7,058	-4.9%
Public Administration	12,956	12,681	-2.1%

Source: DEED 2018-2028 Employment Outlook

Figure 15. Regional Occupational Employment Projections, 2018-2028



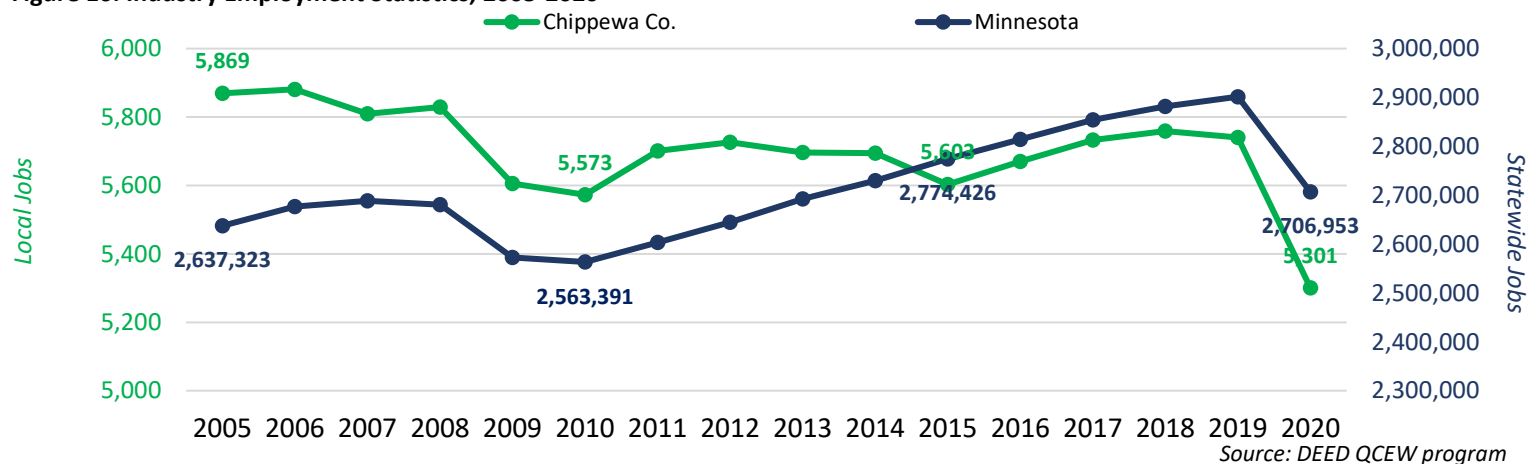
Due to the pandemic recession, after losing jobs over the past year, Chippewa Co. had the 57th largest economy of the 87 counties in the state. Chippewa Co. was the 73rd fastest growing in the past year and the 48th fastest growing since 2015. From 2015 to 2020, employers in Chippewa Co. cut jobs, but lagged the state.

**\$42,669** | annual average wage

**\$226,188,047** | total industry payroll

-302 jobs  
-5.4% decline

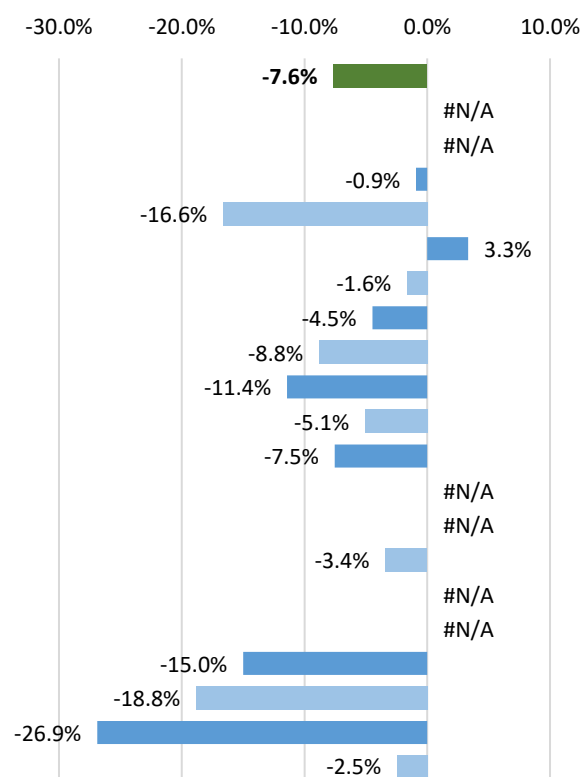
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Source: DEED QCEW program

Table 15. Chippewa Co. Industry Employment Statistics, 2020	Number of Jobs	Percent of Total Jobs	Average Annual Wage
<b>Total, All Industries</b>	<b>5,301</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>\$42,669</b>
Agriculture, Forestry, Fish & Hunt	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Mining	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Construction	219	4.1%	\$58,410
Manufacturing	1,003	18.9%	\$46,425
Utilities	41	0.8%	\$83,930
Wholesale Trade	361	6.8%	\$57,953
Retail Trade	470	8.9%	\$27,784
Transportation & Warehousing	93	1.8%	\$32,419
Information	31	0.6%	\$44,246
Finance & Insurance	187	3.5%	\$64,121
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	135	2.5%	\$21,680
Professional & Technical Services	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Management of Companies	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Admin. Support & Waste Mgmt. Svcs.	85	1.6%	\$26,630
Educational Services	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Health Care & Social Assistance	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	51	1.0%	\$15,694
Accommodation & Food Services	289	5.5%	\$14,876
Other Services	155	2.9%	\$31,821
Public Administration	277	5.2%	\$50,185

**Figure 2. Change in Jobs, 2019-2020**



Source: DEED Quarterly Census of Employment & Wages (QCEW)

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